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Honorable Philip N. Asprodites, Commissioner of Conservation Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: APLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Proposed Substitute Unit Well At An Exceptional Location Vaughn Sand VGN SUK Ruston Field Lincoln Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of GOLDSBERRY OPERATING CO., INC., (Applicant), to the Commissioner of Conservation for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Vaughn Sand in the Ruston Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana:

- To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize their proposed Josie Colvin No. 2 Well as a substitute unit well for the production of gas and condensate for the Vaughn Sand in the Ruston Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, in the unit designated VGN SUK, in exception to the spacing provisions of the 164 Series of Office of Conservation Orders, such unit and well shown on the attached plat and made a part hereof.
- 2. To find that a substitute unit well is needed on the VGN SUK to assist in the efficient and effective drainage of the unit that cannot be drained by any other well located therein.
- 3. To permit the unit operator to produce the assigned unit allowable from the unit well, the alternate unit wells or from a combination thereof at its discretion.
- 4. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem pertinent and appropriate.

The Vaughn Sand in the Ruston Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 164, effective March 31, 1949 and created the unit designated VGN SUK.

The pertinent data pertaining to this application is available for inspection at the Offices of B. F. Anderson, 400 Travis Street, Suite 209, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101-3110. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call B. F. Anderson at 318/425-4230 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent, that is otherwise not available from the Office of Conservation, can be obtained at the expense of the requesting party.

The subject matter of this application does not require a pre-hearing conference.

Attached hereto and made a part of, is a plat showing the applicant's proposal and a list of the names and addresses of the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom this application is being furnished. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, the lists of parties are being furnished to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the Shreveport District Office of Conservation. The list of parties will be provided to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and the Interested Parties as shown on the attached list.

Our check, made payable to the Office of Conservation, is attached to cover the applicable hearing fee.

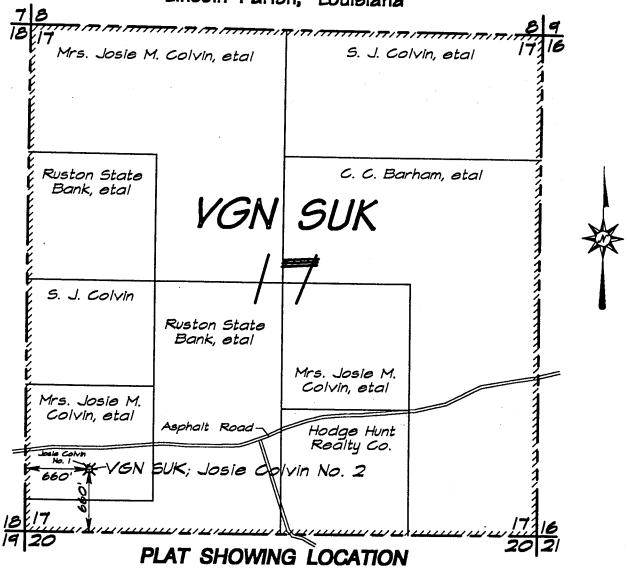
Yours very truly,

B. F. Anderson, PE for

GOLDSBERRY OPERATING CO., INC.

cc: Mr. James C. Broussard, District Manager, Shreveport District Office of Conservation Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

Section 17, Township 19 North, Range 2 West Lincoln Parish, Louisiana



GOLDSBERRY OPERATING CO., INC. VGN SUK; JOSIE COLVIN No. 2

Located 660 feet North and 660 feet East from the Southwest corner of of Section 17, Township 19 North, Range 2 West Lincoln Parish, Louisiana

Latitude is N32°37'45" Longitude is 92°36'09"W * Scaled from Quadrangle Map

Ground Elevation to VGN SUK; Josie Colvin No. 2 = 208.1'

Date: May 22, 2001

Scale: I" = 1000'

I hereby Certify that the above . Plat correctly reflects this Location as staked on the ground.

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